THE HON'BLE Ms. JUSTICE G. ROHINI

WRIT PETITION No.20277 OF 2006

ORAL ORDER:

The petitioner seeks a declaration that the alleged action of the 2nd respondent in seizing the petitioner's L.M.V. Tractor bearing No. Andhra Pradesh-1U-2280 along with Trailor No.AP-1U-2281 under the vehicle check report No.1086591 dated 2.9.2006 is arbitrary and illegal.

A perusal of the check report dated 2.9.2006 shows that the vehicle was seized on certain allegations, including that the vehicle was plying without payment of tax for the quarter ending with 30.9.2006. The petitioner states that immediately thereafter, he approached the 1st respondent seeking interim custody of the vehicle, but his application was not received.

Having regard to the nature of the allegations mentioned in the check report and having heard the learned counsel for both the parties, I deem it appropriate to dispose of the writ petition granting leave and liberty to the petitioner to make a fresh application within one week from today. If any such application is made for interim custody, the 1st respondent shall receive the same and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law within one week thereafter. No costs.

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(G. ROHINI, J.)

27th September, 2006.
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Between:

S. Mallaiah. .. Petitioner.

And

The Secretary, Regional Transport Authority,
Adilabad district at Mancherial and another. ,, Respondents.